

RELATIONS WITH BOOSTER ORGANIZATIONS – PROCEDURE

The booster organization should submit a list of executive officers to the School Committee one month prior to the beginning of each school year. Care must be taken to avoid compromising or diluting the responsibilities and authority of the School Committee.

All booster organizations must establish their own bank accounts and are responsible for their own funds. In addition, the booster organization must maintain a non-profit status and have a tax identification number.

Any request for a donation from a booster organization must be made by the Principal to the School Committee. The President and Treasurer of the booster organization shall be contacted if the School Committee votes to approve the specific donation. All donations that have received School Committee approval shall be made directly to the Director of Finance payable to the Granby Public Schools. The Director shall deposit said donation into the appropriate school fund.

If the booster organization wishes to make a specific donation that has not been requested by the Principal, said booster organization will make a request directly to the School Committee. Non-monetary donations must also receive prior approval from the School Committee.

School provided uniforms will not be worn during any booster club fundraising activity.

No gifts or scholarships may be made directly to students or student athletes.

Booster organizations must follow all rules pertaining to school events and student athletes. This includes activities outside of the school setting (i.e. banquets, fund raising events, etc.). The use of tobacco products and alcohol is strictly prohibited when students are present or on school property. Student athlete participation in out-of-season activities may not be funded in any way by booster organizations.

Title IX Federal Law: Requires gender equity within athletics. Booster organizations which service both male and female teams of the same sport or booster organizations that service a male or a female team of a particular sport but are separate should contact the athletics office to obtain information concerning this subject.

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SOURCE: MASC Policy, M.I.A.A. Rules, Title IX of the United States Code, and area school system policies.

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